Piedmont NWR is requesting public comment

The US Fish & Wildlife Service is pleased to announce the release for public review *and comment* of the Draft Piedmont National Wildlife Refuge Comprehensive Conservation Plan and Environmental Assessment. This plan will provide the direction for all aspects of refuge management over the next 15 years. All public comments received by <u>June 14, 2010</u> will be addressed in the final document.

Paper copies or a cd of the Piedmont Comprehensive Conservation Plan are now available from the Refuge's office in Round Oak, GA and at the Jones County library. Also you may view or download an Adobe file (approximate size 11.4MB) from the US Fish and Wildlife Service planning web site at http://www.fws.gov/southeast/planning/ From this web page select *draft CCP Documents* and then select *Piedmont NWR*.

Requests for hard copies or submission of public comments should be made to Laura Housh, Refuge Planner at: 2700 Suwannee Canal Road, Folkston, GA 31537, fax 912-496-3332 or by email at Laura Housh@fws.gov.

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